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MEMORANDUM FOR: Administrators for GIM-II Databases

FROM:

SUBJECT: 2K Conversion/Reallocation Questions

In order to perform the conversion of GIM-II Production Databases
to 2K blocksize, DataBase System Branch (DBSB) and DataBase
Administration Branch (DBAB) of the Office of Information
Technology (OIT) require that several checks be made against the
database as well as information about database usage. Before we
can schedule the database conversion, we need answers to the
following questions relating to the database and datalists within
it no later than 15 SEPTEMBER 1989. Please forward answers to

     Database Name:
     DBA:
     DBA/ALT:

1. Have you ever executed a COMPILE-DATA-BASE against the database?
   If so, when? What were the results?

2. Do any of the system hit files (i.e., HITA1, HITB1, HITA2, HITB2, etc.,)
   with SEPARATIONS of 2 or greater exist on the database?

3. Do any batch applications which run against the database contain
   dataset references with LRECL=694 or BLKSIZE=694? If so, how many
   modules?

4. Do any datalist dictionaries have attributes with X-CORRELATIVES?
   If so, which ones?

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5. Do any datalist dictionaries have attributes with P-CORRELATIVES? If so, which ones?

6. Are items from any datalists logically used as index values into other datalists? If so, which ones?

7. Do any datalists have MODULO's set to special values, e.g., the MODULO is set to the number of items in a datalist?

8. Which datalists are accessed frequently during prime time? By what percent will each of these grow over the next 12 months?

9. Which datalists are accessed frequently during night processing? By what percent will each of these grow over the next 12 months?

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